

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
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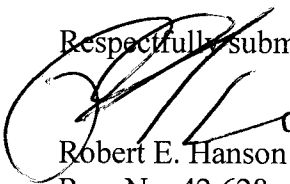
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Sir:

On July 29, 2004, Applicants filed a Petition to Withdraw the Notice of Abandonment for the above-referenced matter. On October 6, 2004 a Non-Final Office Action was mailed and prosecution has continued through receipt of a Notice of Allowance mailed on May 26, 2010, and thus it is understood that the Petition was granted. However, Applicants have still not received the Petition Decision withdrawing the abandonment from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for this application. Applicants therefore respectfully request receipt of the Petition Decision for this application.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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